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Hon. Valerie E. Caproni Thurgood Marshall **United States Courthouse** 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

> United States v. Williams, et al. 21 Cr. 603 (VEC) Re:

Dear Judge Caproni:

The Government writes further to its October 21, 2021 letter.

On Friday, October 22, 2021, the Government was contacted by counsel for Ruben Patterson who informed the Government that they were "in the process of being retained." That day, counsel confirmed they had provided Patterson the Court's October 20, 2021 order. Patterson's presentment and arraignment in this District are scheduled for October 26 in Magistrate Court.

The Government is available to address any questions the Court may have.

Respectfully submitted,

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